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7	PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)			Dock	Docket No. (Optional) 199372003700	
	In re Application of Osamu KURODA et al.					
		Application Number Filed				
		Application	09/998,431	'	November 28, 2001	
	For: TRANSFERRING APPARATUS AND SUBSTRATE PROCESSING APPARATUS					
		Art Unit	1746	Examine	r Frankie Stinson	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.						
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):						
	One month (37 CFR 1.17	(a)(1))			\$	
	X Two months (37 CFR 1.1)		•		\$ 420.00	
Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(					\$	
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$				\$		
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))					\$	
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is					
reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$						
	A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.					
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.						
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	overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-1952					
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.						
	I am the applicant/inventor.  assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.					
	Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).					
	attorney or agent of record. Registration Number					
l	attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).					
	Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)					
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	NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below					
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